

Table 62. Selected Producer Characteristics by Race: 2022 and 2017

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Characteristics	All producers		All producers reporting race as -					
			American Indian or Alaska Native only		Asian only		Black or African American only	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producersnumber	33,270	32,495	1,079	1,373	83	100	23	8
Sex of producers:								
Male	20,976	20,759	556	653	31	47	11	4
Female	12,294	11,736	523	720	52	53	12	4
Hired managers	1,622	1,569	2	2	2	10	-	-
Primary occupation:								
Farming	10,318	10,711	692	1,033	10	53	8	5
Other	22,952	21,784	387	340	73	47	15	3
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	21,351	22,050	942	1,150	45	61	16	4
Not on farm operated	11,919	10,445	137	223	38	39	7	4
Days of work off farm:								
None	9,944	10,616	562	839	15	29	3	4
Any	23,326	21,879	517	534	68	71	20	4
1 to 49 days	4,132	3,316	70	99	10	17	7	-
50 to 99 days	1,910	1,585	82	102	9	1	1	1
100 to 199 days	3,034	2,949	82	78	15	5	3	2
200 days or more	14,250	14,029	283	255	34	48	9	1
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	1,923	1,948	40	48	3	21	1	1
3 or 4 years	3,251	2,847	71	111	28	12	11	5
5 to 9 years	6,715	4,951	142	189	11	14	4	2
10 years or more	21,381	22,749	826	1,025	41	53	7	2
Years operating any farm:								
5 years or less	5,764	4,934	120	204	32	27	14	6
6 to 10 years	5,227	4,264	101	155	7	18	1	-
11 years or more	22,279	23,297	858	1,014	44	55	8	2
Age group:								
Under 25 years	657	538	44	63	2	14	1	2
25 to 34 years	2,372	2,385	62	81	8	2	5	-
35 to 44 years	5,427	4,911	88	103	5	10	9	-
45 to 54 years	5,554	5,498	133	311	17	28	1	1
55 to 64 years	7,608	8,832	265	388	28	9	4	4
65 to 74 years	7,587	6,767	319	290	7	28	2	-
75 years and over.....	4,065	3,564	168	137	16	9	1	1
Average age	56.6	56.3	59.7	56.3	56.6	53.8	43.7	52.3
Young producers (see text)	3,029	(NA)	106	(NA)	10	(NA)	6	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	527	558	38	13	-	-	10	-
Military service:								
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	31,300	29,941	1,027	1,264	80	99	22	8
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	1,970	2,554	52	109	3	1	1	-
Number of persons living in producers' households	72,568	71,887	2,136	3,039	62	130	41	(D)
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:								
Day-to-day decisions	28,134	27,893	905	1,091	82	74	16	7
Land use and/or crop decisions	24,630	24,848	828	1,060	47	69	14	5
Livestock decisions	22,053	22,853	853	1,089	39	55	15	8
Marketing decisions (see text)	18,541	(NA)	713	(NA)	35	(NA)	17	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management	22,314	23,859	699	899	49	69	12	2
Estate planning or succession planning	18,591	18,857	634	698	46	54	16	3

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Characteristics	All producers reporting race as - con.				All producers reporting more than one race	
	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander only		White only		2022	2017
	2022	2017	2022	2017		
Producersnumber	44	32	31,888	30,835	153	147
Sex of producers:						
Male	31	17	20,260	19,960	87	78
Female	13	15	11,628	10,875	66	69
Hired managers	7	-	1,608	1,543	3	14
Primary occupation:						
Farming	10	14	9,562	9,558	36	48
Other	34	18	22,326	21,277	117	99
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	22	30	20,205	20,683	121	122
Not on farm operated	22	2	11,683	10,152	32	25
Days of work off farm:						
None	12	3	9,323	9,684	29	57
Any	32	29	22,565	21,151	124	90
1 to 49 days	3	5	4,004	3,193	38	2
50 to 99 days	-	14	1,811	1,465	7	2
100 to 199 days	14	6	2,901	2,834	19	24
200 days or more	15	4	13,849	13,659	60	62
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	14	-	1,853	1,867	12	11
3 or 4 years	-	1	3,127	2,688	14	30
5 to 9 years	14	6	6,507	4,718	37	24
10 years or more	16	25	20,401	21,562	90	82
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	18	3	5,546	4,653	34	41
6 to 10 years	4	4	5,083	4,057	31	30
11 years or more	22	25	21,259	22,125	88	76
Age group:						
Under 25 years	-	-	606	456	4	3
25 to 34 years	4	-	2,280	2,280	13	22
35 to 44 years	15	6	5,255	4,757	55	35
45 to 54 years	4	4	5,371	5,137	28	17
55 to 64 years	14	7	7,272	8,387	25	37
65 to 74 years	5	15	7,230	6,414	24	20
75 years and over.....	2	-	3,874	3,404	4	13
Average age	53.4	57.4	56.6	56.4	49.2	51.4
Young producers (see text)	4	(NA)	2,886	(NA)	17	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	-	-	456	539	23	6
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	31	30	29,998	28,422	142	118
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	13	2	1,890	2,413	11	29
Number of persons living in producers' households	140	(D)	69,904	68,274	285	338
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:						
Day-to-day decisions	40	30	26,955	26,556	136	135
Land use and/or crop decisions	23	26	23,596	23,566	122	122
Livestock decisions	28	29	21,005	21,557	113	115
Marketing decisions (see text)	18	(NA)	17,673	(NA)	85	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management	25	22	21,422	22,772	107	95
Estate planning or succession planning	10	24	17,796	18,008	89	70